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### **FINAL DECISION OF THE ELEVATOR SAFETY BOARD**

On March 22, 2022, the Elevator Safety Board reviewed the variance request for Heritage Hall located at 208 N. Capital Avenue, Lansing, MI 48933 for relief from the requirements of Rule 34 of the Michigan Elevator Rules. This final decision is issued pursuant to Section 8(1)(c) of the Elevator Safety Board act, 1967 PA 227.

**FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS:** Notification was made to Mr. John S. Simmons on March 15, 2022, that this matter would be addressed by the Board at the meeting on March 22, 2022. The Board acknowledged receipt and reviewed the materials at the meeting on March 22, 2022. Mr. Scott Simmons was present for the review. Following discussion, the Board moved to deny the variance request due to the 25-foot rule.

**THEREFORE,** it is the final decision of the Elevator Safety Board to deny the variance request for relief from the requirements of Rule 34 Michigan Elevator Rules. This final decision is issued pursuant to Section 8(1)(c) of the Elevator Safety Board act, 1967 PA 227. A judicial review of this decision may be requested in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act, 1969 PA 306.

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### **FINAL DECISION OF THE ELEVATOR SAFETY BOARD**

On March 22, 2022, the Elevator Safety Board reviewed the variance request for Escanaba State Office Building located at 305 Ludington Street, Escanaba, MI 49829 for relief from the requirements of Rule 34, Section 2.7.1 of the 2010 edition of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) A17.1 Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators as adopted by the 2010 edition of the Michigan Elevator Rules. This final decision is issued pursuant to Section 8(1)(c) of the Elevator Safety Board act, 1967 PA 227.

**FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS:** Notification was made to Mr. Louis Meyette on February 3, 2022, that this matter would be addressed by the Board at the meeting on March 22, 2022. The Board acknowledged receipt and reviewed the materials at the meeting on March 22, 2022. Mr. Chris Gallagher, Otis Elevators, and Mr. Ben Johnson, the owner's representative, were present for the review. Following discussion, the Board moved to approve the variance request with the condition that the new door is installed in the wall.

**THEREFORE,** it is the final decision of the Elevator Safety Board to approve the variance request for relief from the requirements of Rule 34, Section 2.7.1 of the 2010 edition of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) A17.1 Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators as adopted by the 2010 edition of the Michigan Elevator Rules. A judicial review of this decision may be requested in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act, 1969 PA 306.

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